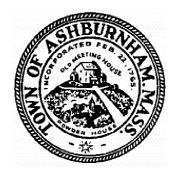
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TOWN COMMITTEES

Currently there are openings on the Conservation Commission (2), Council on Aging (2), Historical Commission, (1), Capital Planning Committee (at-large member) (1), Parks and Recreation Committee (3). These are all listed on the Town's website under Volunteer Opportunities.

WATER TANK

Schedule is on track.

Staging for tank construction - in construction Nat Gun

Water line project up Hastings Road- comp. to tank Five Oaks Construction

High Street

On line September 30th

Gardner Hill

Design May 1^{st-} 2012

Bid June 1st

Repairs Complete November 30th

ROAD PAVING

Corey Hill road started reclamation on August 2nd, High Street to follow. Central Street will follow as an overlay.

ROUTE 101 NORTH

Bids opened on July 27th. Steve Nims working with state for a schedule.

BRIGGS ELEMENTARY

The Department Heads and I attended a meeting held by the architect from Lamoureux and Pagano about the Briggs project. Purpose of the meeting was to discuss public safety issues for police and fire.

CDBG FY2012

I met with MRPC to review project proposals. We discussed South Main Street for paving and housing rehabilitation along with park upgrades. I will be looking to get the assistance of residences to ensure proper paperwork is completed by their neighbors.

CDBG GRANT

We received information that our FY11 grant proposal did not make it through this round. I am awaiting scoring details to review.

• WATER TREATMENT

United Water was the low bidder and we are currently reviewing their bid.

• COA

I have appointed Maggie Whitney as interim Director of the COA.

Maggie will be instrumental in looking at the future needs of the seniors. She is looking at other facilities to see how they operate and what they offer.

The Board of Selectmen and I care about the Seniors of Ashburnham and are working diligently to ensure their care and the continued activities they presently enjoy.

• ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

I request that the Board sign the agreement with Westminster to share the Animal Control Officer position.

Effective July 25th Eula Bradley resigned her position as animal control officer

POLICE

Effective July 26th officer Thomas (Mike) Thomann resigned his position as police officer.